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**Subject:** Microsoft Settlement

Dear Sir,

I would like to record my opinion of the proposed final settlement in the DOJ v. Microsoft case.

I disagree with the proposed final settlement, feeling it is too lenient on Microsoft.

In particular, I feel that section E which says that Microsoft must disclose information to ISVs, IHVs, IAPs, ICPs, and OEMs, "for the sole purpose of interoperating with a Windows Operating System Product", should be changed so that Microsoft must also be required to disclose informatino to them so they can create competing products.

Competition is good.

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